

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/525,952  
Confirmation No. : 2625  
Applicant : D. Steinmueller  
Filed : Oct. 17, 2005  
Title : Method for monitoring sensor function  
TC/A.U. : 2857  
Examiner : T.S. Lau  
Docket No. : WITT3004/FJD  
Customer No. : 23364

**Statement of the substance of the interview**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA. 22202-3514

Sir:

A telephone interview was held on January 18, 2011 during which the art of record was discussed against the pending claims. No agreement was reached which would result in allowance of the pending claims.

Since the noted interview, an Office Action has been issued in which the pending claims have been finally rejected. A reply is due by April 25, 2011. Further action will be taken in due course.

Respectfully submitted

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